

**School Committee - Regular Meeting**

**February 6, 2024, 6:00 p.m.**

Held in and broadcast from the Dr. Henrietta S. Attles Meeting Room, Cambridge Rindge, and Latin School, 459 Broadway, Cambridge. To sign up to call in using the ZOOM app on your computer or mobile device: visit [www.cpsd.us/school\\_committee/virtual](http://www.cpsd.us/school_committee/virtual)

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**A G E N D A**

1. **Public Comment (3 minutes):**
2. **Student School Committee Report:**
3. **Presentation of Records for Approval:**
  - January 16, 2024 Regular Meeting
  - January 23, 2024 Budget Workshop
4. **Reconsiderations:** None
5. **Unfinished Business/Calendar:** None
6. **Awaiting Reports:** None
7. **7a. Superintendent’s Update:**
  - Chronic Absenteeism

**7b. Presentations:**

FY25 Budget Development Update.....ivy Washington  
Interim Chief Financial Officer  
Victoria L. Greer, Ph.D.  
Superintendent of Schools

**7c. CPS District Plan:** None

**7d. Consent Agenda:**

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| <b>#24-019</b> | Recommendation: Approval of Settlement of Cambridge Education Association Units A & B Grievance Number AB 4-23-24               |
| <b>#24-020</b> | Recommendation: Approval of Criminal Offender Record Information & Sexual Offender Registry Information Policy (Second Reading) |
| <b>#24-021</b> | Recommendation: Approval of the Physical Education Policy (First Reading)   |
| <b>#24-022</b> | Recommendation: Approval of the Cambridge Public Schools Wellness Policy (First Reading)  |
| <b>#24-023</b> | Recommendation: Approval of Revisions to the High School Health Graduation Requirements   |

- #24-024 Recommendation: Day & Residential Program Services Not Available From the Cambridge School Department
- #24-025 Recommendation: Contract Award: DIT Transportation: Student Transportation
- #24-026 Recommendation: Contract Award: New Solutions K12: Consulting Services
- #24-027 Recommendation: Contract Award: McGraw Hill Education: Special Education Instructional Materials
- #24-028 Recommendation: Gifts/Miscellaneous Receipts
- #24-029 Recommendation: Grant Award: Chronic Absenteeism Grant (SC24778)

**8. Non-Consent Agenda:**

**9. School Committee Agenda (Policy Matters/Notifications/Requests for Information):**

**#24-030 Joint Motion by Member Rachel, Mayor Simmons, and Member Harding**

WHEREAS: The Cambridge Public Schools has a historical commitment to teaching all students fundamental skills; and

WHEREAS: Being an informed, effective community member in the 21st century requires critical thinking as well as the ability to discern reliable information sources from misinformation and disinformation; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That the School Committee update policy [IHA, Basic Instructional Program](#), to add accessing, analyzing, and evaluating information in written and digital media to the list of fundamental skills.

**10. Resolutions (letters of congratulations, letters of condolences): None**

**11. Announcements:**

**12. Late Orders: None**

**13. Communications and Reports from City Officers: None**